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E.O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJECT: OIL EXPLORATION IN SINAI - GULF OIL ACTIVITY
IN BUFFER ZONE

REF: A) STATE 69195 B) CAIRO 6849

1. UN POSITION ON EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES IN THE BUFFER ZONE IS THAT BUFFER ZONE CONSTITUTES A SPECIAL REGIME WHICH REQUIRES CONSULTATION WITH ISRAEL THROUGH THE UN BEFORE CIVILIAN ACTIVITY CAN BE UNDERTAKEN. UN SECRETARIAT (JONAH) IN DESCRIBING ABOVE POSITION POINTED OUT THAT EGYPT CONTENDS THAT THERE IS NO REQUIREMENT FOR THE UN TO CONSULT WITH ISRAEL AND IN FACT BELIEVES THAT UN ON ITS OWN CAN ALLOW EGYPT TO UNDERTAKE CIVILIAN ACTIVITY IN THE BUFFER ZONE.

2. UN'S VIEW IS ESSENTIALLY THAT LAID OUT IN CAIRO 6849 PARA 3. YOUNG

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